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## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING BATCHES OF IMMUNOCOMPETENT CELLS COLLECTED FROM HUMAN OR ANIMAL SUBJECTS FOR DEFERRED USE, AND RELATED THERAPY METHODS

## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 19, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of November 15, 2005, and further to the amendment of March 15, 2006, applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.